



Community and Business Engagement

Cambridge City Council's Climate Change Commitments:

Climate and Biodiversity Emergency declared



2019

Climate Change Strategy 2021-2026:

- **Vision** for Cambridge to be net zero by 2030
- **Target** to reduce the Council's emissions to net zero by 2030

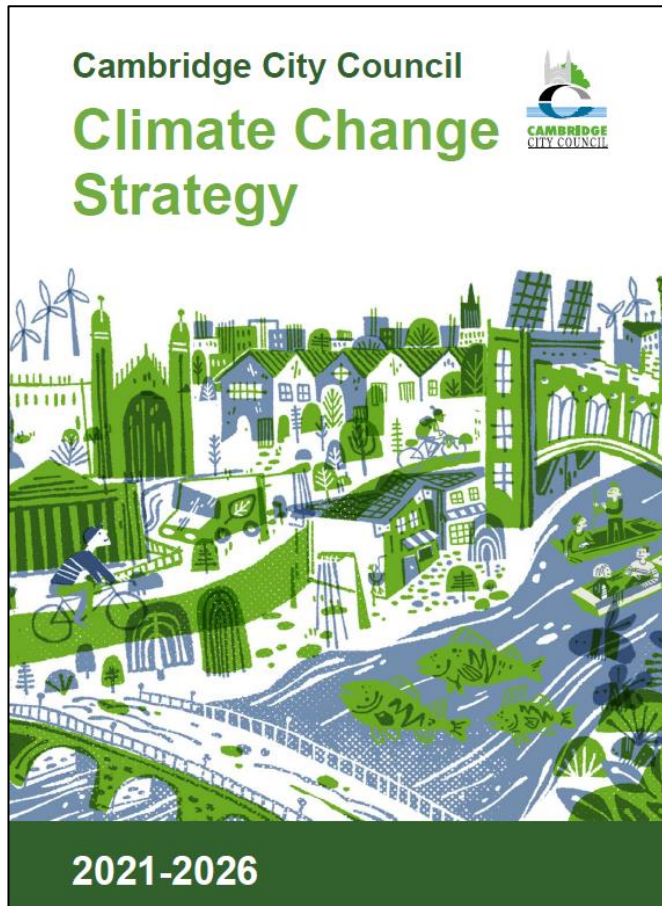
2021–2026

Priority 1 Corporate Plan 2022-2027:

Leading Cambridge's response to the climate and biodiversity emergencies and creating a net zero council by 2030.

2030

We Can't Do It Alone



- **Vision** for Cambridge to be **net zero carbon** by **2030**
- **Council aim:** A city that takes robust action to tackle the local and global threat of the climate and biodiversity emergencies, both internally and in partnership with local organisations and residents.

Sphere of influence:

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- Reducing direct emissions (corporate buildings)
- Procurement, grant funding
- Council owned property (Council homes, commercial property)
- Policy and regulatory powers



City Leaders Climate Change Group



- First convened in 2017
- Has over 40 active member organisations
- Opportunities for collaboration
- Focussing on retrofit

Local Climate Change Forum



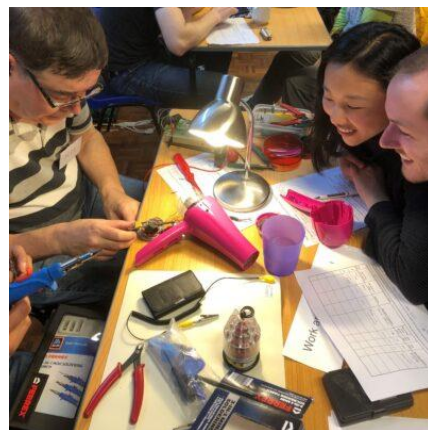
- Local voluntary and community groups
- Collaborative events
- Information sharing and cross-promotion



Community activities



- Sustainable City Grant
- Cambridge Sustainable Food Partnership
- Residents training



Support for Businesses



- Sustainable City Grant
 - Business Food Pledge
 - Veg Box workshops
- Green Business Programme



What is their contribution?



Thank you! Any questions?

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